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10/784,288-Conf. #5053 Application Number Filed February 24, 2004 LIQUID DISCHARGE APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DISCHARGING LIQUID Art Unit 2861 Examiner B. J. Goldberg This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): **Small Entity Fee** Fee One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$120 \$60 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$450 \$225 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 1,020.00 \$510 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 \$795 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$1080 \$2160 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 18-0013 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 May 21, 2007 Date Signature/ Konald Pf. Kananen (202) 955-3750 Telephone Number Typed or printed name NOTE: Signatures of all t ventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more

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